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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 CHRIS SALAZAR GUTIERREZ,

15 Defendant.  
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Case No. 1:21-cr-00036-DAD

**STIPULATION TO CONTINUE  
SENTENCING HEARING; ORDER**

Date: March 28, 2022  
Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Judge: Hon. Dale A. Drozd

17 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the parties through their respective  
18 counsel, Assistant United States Attorney Mark McKeon, counsel for plaintiff, and Assistant  
19 Federal Defender Erin Snider, counsel for Chris Salazar Gutierrez, that the sentencing hearing  
20 currently scheduled for March 28, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. may be continued to May 23, 2022, at 9:00  
21 a.m.

22 On February 1, 2022, Mr. Gutierrez admitted that he violated the terms of his supervised  
23 release by using a controlled substance on three occasions, as alleged in the Petition for Warrant  
24 or Summons for Person Under Supervision. That same day, consistent with the probation  
25 officer's recommendation, the magistrate judge ordered Mr. Gutierrez released to participate in  
26 the three-month residential Quest House program. Due to a COVID-19 outbreak at the facility, a  
27 bed was not available until February 15, 2022. Mr. Gutierrez was released to live with his  
28 daughter in the meantime. Mr. Gutierrez reported to Quest House on February 15, 2022, as

1 directed, and has been at the program ever since. It is anticipated that he will graduate on May  
2 16, 2022.

3 On March 15, 2022, United States Probation Officer J.C. Hill contacted undersigned  
4 counsel and requested that the sentencing hearing currently scheduled for March 28, 2022, be  
5 continued until late May 2022 to allow Mr. Gutierrez time to complete the Quest House program  
6 before sentencing. The government indicated that it had no objection to the continuance. Defense  
7 counsel met with Mr. Gutierrez at Quest House on March 18, 2022. Mr. Gutierrez indicated that  
8 he, too, had no objection to continuing the sentencing hearing to allow him to complete the  
9 program.

10 Accordingly, the parties hereby stipulate that the Court may continue the sentencing  
11 hearing to May 23, 2022, at 9:00 a.m.

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13 Respectfully submitted,

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15 United States Attorney

16 Date: March 21, 2022

/s/ Mark McKeon  
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22 Date: March 21, 2022

/s/ Erin Snider  
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24 Assistant Federal Defender  
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26 CHRIS SALAZAR GUTIERREZ  
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**ORDER**

**IT IS SO ORDERED.** The sentencing hearing currently scheduled for March 28, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. is hereby continued to May 23, 2022, at 9:00 a.m.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 22, 2022

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE